

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: John K. ALEX et al.  
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Examiner : Scott B. Christensen  
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For : POLICY DRIVEN AUTONOMIC COMPUTING -  
PROGRAMMATIC POLICY DEFINITIONS

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R § 1.191, Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference from the decision dated February 19, 2010 of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-21 of the above-referenced application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$540.00 for filing this Notice of Appeal to Deposit Account No. **09-0447**. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any fee insufficiency (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. **09-0447**.

Respectfully submitted,

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